accordance with the provisions of section three hundred eighty-eight (388) of the code of 1927; and

WHEREAS, it later developed that said funds were not needed in the court expense fund of said county and that it would not be necessary to retransfer or return said funds from the poor fund to the court expense fund; and

WHEREAS, the board of supervisors of Decatur county did, on the 23rd day of January, 1931, by resolution duly adopted, permanently transfer the said nine thousand dollars (\$9,000.00) from the court expense fund to the paupers' fund, and it appears that said action was taken without authority of law; therefore,

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

- SECTION 1. That the act of the board of supervisors of Decatur
- county, Iowa, on the 23rd day of January 1931, wherein it, by resolution, permanently transferred nine thousand dollars (\$9,000.00) from
- the court expense fund of said county to the paupers' fund of said
- county, be and the same is hereby legalized and made valid in the
- 6 same manner as though said action was taken under a valid provision
- 7 of law.
- SEC. 2. This act being deemed of immediate importance shall be
- in full force and effect from and after its passage and publication in
- the Leon Journal-Reporter, a newspaper published at Leon, Iowa, and
- the Lamoni Chronicle, a newspaper published at Lamoni, Iowa, with-
- out expense to the state.

House File No. 71. Approved April 3, 1931.

I hereby certify that the foregoing act was published in the Leon Journal-Reporter April 16, 1931, and the Lamoni Chronicle April 16, 1931.

G. C. GREENWALT, Secretary of State.

CHAPTER 317

JOHNSON COUNTY

AN ACT to legalize the payment of funds by Johnson county, Iowa, from the court expense fund.

WHEREAS, warrants in the sum of fourteen thousand five hundred ninetysix dollars and fifty cents (\$14,596.50) were drawn by the county auditor of Johnson county, Iowa, against the court expense fund of said county for the years 1928 and 1929; said warrants being paid by the treasurer of said county, and

WHEREAS, the warrants so drawn were in payment of salaries of the county sheriff, deputy sheriff, county attorney, justices of the peace, and constable, and for the payment of the legal expenses of the county attorney, clerk of the district court, sheriff, deputy sheriff, etc., and

WHEREAS, said salaries and said expenses should have been paid out

of the county general fund of Johnson county, Iowa, and

WHEREAS, the county general fund of said county was, during the years 1928 and 1929, and is now in such condition that the moneys so expended out of the court expense fund cannot be returned to said fund and never can be: now, therefore,

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

- SECTION 1. That the acts of the county auditor, county treasurer and county board of supervisors of Johnson county, Iowa, in the premises in paying out of the court expense fund during the years 1928
- and 1929 the sum of fourteen thousand five hundred ninety-six dollars
- 5 and fifty cents (\$14,596.50), in payment of salaries and expenses of said county, which should have been paid out of the county general.
- 7 fund, is hereby legalized and made valid.
- 1 SEC. 2. This act being deemed of immediate importance shall take
- 2 effect and be in full force from and after its publication in the Press
- 3 Citizen, a newspaper published at Iowa City, Iowa, and the Oxford
- 4 Leader, a newspaper published at Oxford, Iowa, without expense to
- 5 the state.

House File No. 482. Approved April 8, 1931.

I hereby certify that the foregoing act was published in the Iowa City Press Citizen April 10, 1931, and the Oxford Leader May 21, 1931.

G. C. GREENWALT, Secretary of State.

CHAPTER 318

COUNCIL BLUFFS

AN ACT to legalize the proceedings of the city of Council Bluffs, Iowa, with respect to the holding of a special election for the purpose of authorizing a one mill levy for the establishment, improvement, maintenance and operation of an airport and in issuing airport certificates for such purpose, and to authorize the annual levying of such tax and the anticipation of the collection of such tax by the issuance of said certificates.

WHEREAS, there was held on August 26, 1929, a special election in the city of Council Bluffs, Pottawattamie county, Iowa, at which the following proposition was submitted:

"Shall the following public measure be adopted?

Yes
No

Shall there be levied in the city of Council Bluffs, Iowa, a special tax of one mill in addition to all other taxes to pay all or any part of the cost of acquiring, improving, equipping, operating and/or maintaining an airport within or without the corporate limits of said city as contemplated by chapter 138, acts of the 43rd general assembly?"

which proposition received a majority of the votes of the electors of the city of Council Bluffs, voting at said election and the right of the city of Council Bluffs to levy such tax annually has been questioned on the ground that the word "annually" was omitted following the word "levied" in line one (1) of said proposition, and it has been made to appear that it was the intention of the voters to authorize the levying of an annual tax as contemplated by the acts of the general assembly referred to in the proposition; and,

Whereas, in the official notice of said election it was provided that the polls should remain open until seven o'clock in the afternoon instead of eight o'clock in the afternoon, as provided by the statutes of the state of Iowa, and it has been made to appear that the polling places in all precincts